

A Disgraced Judge.

We heartily endorse every word of the following taken from the Farmington Times. If Judge Fox won't resign he ought to be impeached and removed. His presence on the bench is a disgrace to the judiciary of the State.

We regret that Judge J. D. Fox of the Judicial Circuit has again forced upon us the duty to chronicle another of his disgraceful debauches, and that he has again brought disgrace upon himself and the bench. The latest escapade of the Judge occurred at Perryville last week, while the Court was in session and important cases up for trial. He got so drunk that a member of the bar had to be chosen to preside, and the news also reaches us his conduct was so disorderly that he had to be taken to jail, where he was confined during the afternoon of Thursday, leaving town the following morning in anything but an orderly manner. Judge Fox's friends have borne with him long and patiently; they have pleaded with him and condoned his offenses; they have endeavored to hold up his hands, in the hope that possibly he might overcome his inordinate appetite, but all in vain. It appears that he has not the will power to resist his worst enemy, or if he has he does not put forth his best efforts to exercise that will, and in either event he cannot expect his friends to longer stand by him or to make excuses for a weakness that unfits him for the important position with which he has been entrusted. The people should demand his resignation. It is more than probable that the Grand Jury of Perry county will indict him for his latest debauch at Perryville, it being his third or fourth offense while holding court at that place.

Fine Phrases for the Farmer.

It is hoped that the Western farmers will be duly impressed with the logic of Mr. McKinley. To console them for the low prices they are receiving for their crops, he proposes to raise the price of the manufactured goods which they have to buy or receive in exchange—their clothing, their tinware, glass, china and household articles generally.

The farmer may inquire how he is to be benefited in this arrangement, seeing that he cannot get enough now for his wheat and corn to pay for his tools and his clothing and other necessities. Mr. McKinley is ready for him. He explains that the existing depression is due to "foreign agricultural products crowding our home market," and he is going to stop that at once by increasing the import duties on wheat and corn. If the farmer should reply that no wheat or corn is imported, and he can't see what good that will do him, Mr. McKinley is ready for him again. He does not explain further, but he assures the farmer that his bill is "for the better defense of American homes," and nobody ought to demand a finer phrase than that.

If the farmer is still dissatisfied, he can leave off farming and go into the business of sugar refining or manufacturing tin-plate. Then the advantage of the tariff would become apparent to the dullest mind.—Philadelphia Times.

The Fruits of Pan-Americanism.

And now comes Senator Anselmo Moraga, the Chilean representative at the Pan-American Congress, and in an interview at Chicago last night unobscured himself in this wise:

"The Pan-American Congress was a foolish expenditure on the part of the United States, as it will prove of no earthly good to anybody."

Then he goes on to say that the cry of protection has been a grand country we have, but before our Government can get ready to trade with South America it is possible that the delegates will have forgotten us.

Thus it would seem that the adjournment of the Pan-American Congress will put us into the possession of more truths than the deliberations of its session.

And it must be said that as Senator Moraga states them they are hard to handle.

If Mr. Blaine's ability is equal to the task of arranging a reciprocal commercial treaty with the South American States that will enable us and them to ignore the tariff, he will mount the very pinnacle of statecraft.

Republicans believe that as the Secretary of State he can achieve anything but impossibilities, and they are beginning to see that our conquest of the South American trade under existing tariff laws is an impossibility.

We might as well make the best of a bad bargain by declaring that a high protective tariff is of more value to us than the nearest and best markets we can reach. We might as well say that England, Germany and France are welcome to stock the South American continent with their manufactures when we can easily compete with them in everything save price.

We might as well admit what they are ready to grant, that in the genius, usefulness and the quality of our manufactures we are so far ahead of all competitors, but that, on account of our high protective tariff, we cannot meet the prices of our competitors.

To use a homely simile: We cannot eat our cake and have it. We must rest content to see the natural market of the United States—that of South America—stocked by the products of European mills and factories, few of which equal ours in the usefulness and quality of the goods they turn out, or we must break down the wall by which we have surrounded ourselves, and by a repeal of certain tariff legislation enter into free competition with Europe on American soil.

Which will we have?—Star-Sayings.

Men and Pole Cats.

When Circus Manager Barnum was in London he made provision for the importation into the United States of several pole cats, a horned snake, a chimpanzee and a blue bear. The selections, with the single exception of Mr. Lowe, were admitted by the United States officials at New York to enter upon the free soil of the great American republic. Pole cats, monkeys, horned snakes and Fleet street menials were cordially welcomed by the American Fraternity of Animals and reptiles, but the great "American workmen" were so much alarmed by the importation of one English tuba player, at a salary of \$18 a week, that they, through the government officials, had Mr. Lowe taken in charge as a violator of the alien labor contract laws.

Mr. Lowe protested, claiming that he was an "artist" and as such had a right to land and ply his vocation. Mr. Ehrhardt, the collector of fines and penalties upon foreign imports landing in New York, had the case

referred to him by the federal inspectors. He shirked the responsibility by referring it to the federal secretary of the treasury, and that worthy decided that a tuba player at \$18 a week salary was not an "article" within the meaning of the statute, and that Mr. Lowe must go back to England. Is not this a fine commentary on the "freedom of American institutions?" The agents of British syndicates may come to this country, buy up land, rent the same to tenants and depart, assured of a large rent roll from American producers. A common, every-day musician, who comes to earn an honorable living, must, however, be sent back when he comes, because, forsooth, he will endanger the lives, liberties and salaries of "American workmen." Well, truly, the long continued rule of the republican party has made this country a laughing stock for the world.—Jefferson City Tribune.

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THOS. NEWMAN,
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Probate Docket

Iron County, Missouri, May Term, 1890—
Monday, May 5, 1890.
Alborn, Joseph, deceased, W W Heywood, Administrator.
Collins, M. P., deceased, Taylor and G. W. Collins, administrators.
Gay, S. T., deceased, W T Gay, administrator.
Gay, S. T. & W T Gay, W T Gay, administrator and surviving partner.
Grandhomme, Jacob, minor, Amanda Grandhomme, guardian.
Haller, Elizabeth C, minor, Pauline C Haller, guardian.
Harra, Minnie L. and Cara, minors, John Harra, curator.
Hall, Robert, minor, Thos P Hall, guardian.
Hall, Sophie, minor, Thos P Hall, guardian.
Newman, Ruth, deceased, Thomas Newman, administrator.
Razor, Peter, minor, I G Whitworth, guardian.
Reburn, Alex H, minor, J H Russell, guardian.
Richter, Henry, minor, Mrs. F. Richter, guardian.
FRANZ DINGER,
Judge of Probate.

Final Settlement.

Notice is hereby given to all creditors and others interested in the estate of M P Collins, deceased, that the undersigned administrators of said estate, intend to make final settlement thereof at the next term of the Probate Court of Iron County, to be held at the courthouse in Ironton, Iron County, Mo., on the first Monday in May next—same being the 5th day of May, A. D. 1890.
G. W. COLLINS,
T. Administrators.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION.

STATE OF MISSOURI, ss.
COUNTY OF IRON, ss.
In the Probate Court, of the County of Iron, February Term, 1890.

Now on this day come William Henson, Administrator of the Estate of Andrew Henson, deceased, late of said county, and presents to the Court his petition praying for an order for the sale of certain real estate of which said Andrew Henson died, seized, described as follows:

All of the north half of section eighteen (18) in township twenty-five (25), north, of range 1 west, containing 320 1/2 acres, more or less, in Carter County, state of Missouri;

To pay the debts of said estate, which said debts are listed by the accountants, lists and inventories required by law, showing that said estate is indebted, and that said debts are unpaid, and that there is not sufficient assets on hand to pay the same. On examination thereof, it is ordered by the court, that all persons interested in the estate of said deceased, be notified that application as aforesaid, has been made, and that unless the contrary be shown on or before the first day of the next term of this court, to be held on the first Monday of May next, an order will be made for the sale of the real estate in said petition described, or so much thereof as shall be sufficient for the payment of said debts, and the expenses of said sale, and the expenses of such sale. And it is further ordered that this notice be published in some newspaper in said County of Iron, for four weeks prior to the next term of this court.

A true copy. Attest:
[SEAL] FRANZ DINGER,
Judge of Probate and Ex-Officio Clerk.

Trustee's Sale.

Whereas, Hiram J. Kimes and Mary E. Kimes, his wife, by their certain deed of trust, dated the 14th day of September, 1887, recorded in the office of Recorder of Deeds for the County of Iron, State of Missouri, in book No. 10, page 101, conveyed to George W. Collins trustee, the following described real estate, situated in the County of Iron, in the State of Missouri, to wit:

The east half of lot number two in the northwest quarter of section three, township thirty-one, north of range four east, containing forty-one and twenty-two one-hundredths acres, more or less.

Which conveyance was made in trust to secure the payment of one certain promissory note therein described; and whereas, default has been made in the payment of said note and interest, now past due and unpaid; and, whereas, it is provided in said deed of trust that in case said trustee shall fail to act, the then acting sheriff of Iron County, Mo., shall act in his stead as such trustee; and whereas, said George W. Collins does refuse to act, and is by law at this time disqualified from acting as such trustee, now, therefore, at the request of the legal holder of said note, and in pursuance of the terms of said deed of trust, I, the undersigned sheriff and trustee, will on

Wednesday, April 30th, 1890, between the hours of nine o'clock a. m. and five o'clock p. m. of said day, at the east front door of the Court House in the City of Ironton, in the County of Iron, State of Missouri, sell the above described real estate, at public vendue to the highest bidder, for cash, for the purpose of satisfying said note and the costs of executing this trust.

Attest:
P. W. WHITWORTH,
April 10th 1890. Sheriff and Trustee.

Notice for Publication.

LAND OFFICE AT IROTON, MO. }
March 28th, 1890. }
Notice is hereby given that the following-named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Register and Receiver at Ironton, Mo., on Friday, May 9th, 1890, viz: Littleton Vickery, claimant, entry No. 10196, for 160 acres of the southwest quarter and southeast quarter of the southwest quarter, section 29, township 33, north, of range 2 east.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: Joseph Williams, James Walker, Pinkney Walker, Patrick Profit, all of Lesterville, Reynolds County, Mo., and JAMES C. NOBLE, Register.

Final Settlement.

Notice is hereby given to all creditors and others interested in the estate of James A. Hucher, deceased, that the undersigned executor of said estate, intends to make final settlement thereof at the next term of the Probate Court of Iron County, to be held at the Court House in Ironton, Iron County, Mo., on the first Monday in May next—same being the 7th day of May, A. D. 1890.
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